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COMMENTS

Attached please find a courtesy copy of the Notice of Appeal filed July 14, 2003.

In the event that any fees are due, including any fees required under 37 CFR 1.136 for any necessary Extension of Time to make the filing of the attached documents timely, please charge the required fees to our Deposit Account No. 15-0030. Further, if these papers are not considered timely filed, then a petition is hereby made under 37 CFR 1.136 for the necessary extension of time.

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Serial No. 09/457,669

In the matter of the Application of: Tetsuro MOTOYAMA

For: METHOD AND SYSTEM FOR DIAGNOSIS AND CONTROL OF...

Due Date: 07/12/03

The following has been received in the U.S. Patent Office on the date stamped hereon:

- Check for \$430.00
- Dep. Acct. Order Form
- Notice of Appeal
- Petition for Extension of Time 1 Month



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IN RE APPLICATION OF: Tetsuro MOTOYAMA

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REQUEST FOR EXTENSION OF TIME
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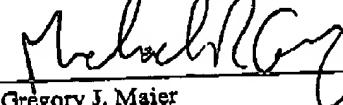
It is hereby requested that a one month extension of time be granted to July 12, 2003 for

- filing a response to the Official Action dated:
- responding to the requirements in the Notice of Allowability dated:
- filing the Formal Drawings. The Issue Fee due has been timely filed.
- responding to the Notice to File Missing Parts of Application dated:
- filing a Notice of Appeal.
- filing an Appeal Brief. A Notice of Appeal was filed on:
- Applicant claims small entity status. See 37 CFR 1.27. Therefore, the fee amount shown below is reduced by one-half.

The required fee of \$110.00 is enclosed herewith by check and any further charges may be made against the Attorney of Record's Deposit Account No. 15-0030. A duplicate copy of this sheet is enclosed.

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NOTICE OF APPEAL

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Applicants hereby appeal to the Board of Appeals from the decision dated March 12, 2003

The items checked below are appropriate:

A Petition for Extension of Time Under 37 C.F.R. §1.136 was filed for months.
 A timely response to the final rejection has been filed, as provided in 841 O.G. 1411.
 A Petition for Extension of Time for filing the Notice of Appeal is attached.

Fee: \$320.00

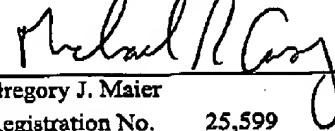
Applicant claims small entity status. See 37 CFR 1.27.

Is Enclosed

Charge to Deposit Account No. 15-0030 (an additional copy of this notice is enclosed herewith).
 Please charge any additional fees or credit any overpayment of fees required for filing the Notice of Appeal to Deposit Account No. 15-0030. A duplicate copy of this Notice is enclosed.
 If this notice is not considered timely filed by the U.S. Patent and Trademark Office, then a petition is hereby made under 37 C.F.R. §1.136, and any additional fees required under 37 C.F.R. §1.136 for any necessary extension of time may be charged to Deposit Account No. 15-0030. A duplicate copy of this Notice is enclosed.

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